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OPS Level 3 Briefing Note

Incident Number 22-17557
Update 11
Division
Sector
Type of Incident Freedom Convoy
Location Ottawa
Incident Date and Time 28/01/2022 13:29

Brief Synopsis

Approximately 250-300 people on the Hill. Scattering of people throughout the core. There is one protest group organizing near Nicholas and Rideau with the intent to march to the Hill. There is another gathering lead by [REDACTED] [REDACTED].

There are a significant number of trucks holding the same road closures as last night. Many of the Bobtails are leaving different staging points and are driving through the city trying to find alternate routes into the inner core.

POU were not deployed until 1100 hrs in order to facilitate an extended presence into the evening. We are getting sporadic reports of individual acts such as rock throwing and confrontation with different authority

figures, however, there has been no issues of significance during the morning.

Although we are seeing some small groups and individuals leaving, we are still seeing different convoys arriving from outlying local communities. When vehicles are departing from our inner secured core, we are not allowing any further vehicles to enter.

There is ongoing coordination between the Command Centre, the Service Command Centre and Event Operations to develop a sustained operations plan. This will impact regular operations as we draw upon resources such as PDC and CID to relieve NRT and Traffic resources where possible as they have been overextended. Incident Command resources are being aligned for proper coverage. Planning teams are being adapted to facilitate improved communications with operations to allow improved transitions.

There has been excellent support between OPS, city and police partners. We are integrating By-Law, S/Cst from OPS and OC Transpo with our sworn members at strategic traffic locations allowing the re-deployment of officers to key positions. OPP have offered uniform support which is being coordinated between SSC and OPP.

Wellness And Health & Safety

**Wellness
Notified** N/A

**Health &
Safety
Notified** N/A

Actions Taken

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